Geo. Smith made a business trip to

Roy King of Lansing, visited friends

Lyle Follette visited his parents in

Miss Inez Owens of Elwell, visited

Glen Boyd and Bert Wheaton, were

Miss Fern Pratt spent Sunday in

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Taft and family

Romaine Clarke of St. Louis trans-

Mrs. Henry Myers of Forest Hill

Miss Lorna Woodruff went to her

Those home made pies at Gray &

Postmaster V. P. Cash went to Cad-

Theodore Gates, who attends Alma

Miss Charlotte Hamilton of Ithaca,

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Zinn, spent Sun-

About a dozen of the Alma Shriners

Mrs. VanDuzen of Owosso, former-

transact business for the Republic

Printed or engraved calling cards

wedding invitations, announcement or

The Evart Review spoke very high-

The Salvation Army extends an in-

The Presbyterian Fortnightly will

Mrs. McKinney of Saginaw will ad-

mothers are urged to be present.

by the Gratiot County Gas Co. He is

C. F. Gallagher suffered a near-

nounds, fell on him and bore him to

roon for Rochester New York, where

of the Presbyterian Church which

convenes in that city for the next two

will go to Glen Falls, New York, to ;

visit his son Robert who is in the in-

surance business in that city. Prof.

Cook was elected by the Presbytery

of Saginaw at its last meeting to

ber of the church. He will return in

The local Canton of Odd Fellows

lars as a first prize at the recent Ith-

Clarence Clark, and Leon Stinchcomb

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he will attend the General Assembly

this week.

O. J. Hendee of Owosso, was in Al-

in Alma, Monday.

ma on business, Friday.

Mt. Pleasant Tuesday,

friends here Thursday.

St. Louis visitors, Friday.

Elm Hall with her parents.

were Riverdale visitors, Sunday.

acted business in Alma Tuesday.

visited friends in Alma Tuesday.

Report of The Condition of the

at the close of business, May 1, 1915, as called for Commissioner of the Banking Department.

Loans and discounts. viz \$ 114,150 51 Commercial Department Savings Department 30,290 56 \$144,441 47 Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz., Commercial Department 1,000 00 Savings Department.... Expenses, Interest and Taxes paid exceeding earnings.

106,870 22 107,870 22 15,000 00 Banking House Furniture and fixtures Other real estate Items in transit Commercial:

Due from Banks in reserve cities \$14,010 99 Exchanges for clearing house 2,024 49 U. S. and Nat'l Bank Currency 5,837 00 Gold coin Silver coin Nickels and cents. 285 34 28,159 07

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54.816 58 81,657 51 Checks and other cash items. \$840,221 22 LIABILITIES Capital stock paid in Surplus fund.

3,443 85 Undivided profits, net Dividends, unpaid
Commercial deposits, subject to check \$ 90.737 82
Commercial certificates of deposit 19,321 26 State monies on deposit Due to banks and bankers.69,479 07 Savings deposits, (book accounts) 99,339 22 168,818 29 Savings certificates of Deposit Bills payable \$340,221 22

TATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF GRATIOT-SS. I, H. C. Moore, Cashier of the above usmed Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

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LOCAL NEWS

Harry Tubbs has purchased a new W. A. Bahlke made a business trip

to Lansing Tuesday. Robt. McNabb was in Carson City on business, Tuesday. Miss Mabel Price returned to Yp-

silanti, Tuesday afternoon. Arthur Murphy of Elwell transacted

business in Alma, Thursday. Rev. J. W. Priest went to Fenton Tuesday to transact business.

W. E. Swope of Riverdale, made a business trip to Alma, Monday. Miss Mary Holland of Mt. Pleasant visited friends in Alma, Friday.

Geo. Bahlke has sold his home home in Dewitt Wednesday afternoon. Woodworth Avenue to Mrs. Giles. W. J. Melchers of Owosso was in the Gray's melt in your mouth, adv1888-t2 city transacting business Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Owen of River-Miss Helen Selby spent Saturday and Sunday in North Star with her

dale, were Alma visitors, Thursday. Oh that coffee, nothing like it. At parents. adv. 1888-t2 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nelson visited Gray & Gray's Summer and Florin Hoxie of Elm at the home of Miss Eliza Emsley Hall, were in Alma on business, Satur- Tuesday.

Charles Button motored to Grand illac Wednesday to spend a few days Rapids Wednesday returning the same fishing near that city.

George Clow spent Sunday in Sum- College, spent Saturday and Sunday ner, the guest of his parents, Mr. and at Cedar Lake with his parents.

Ernest Ellison spent Sunday in Riv- was the guest of Miss Mildred McConerdale the guest of his sister, Mrs. key, Friday evening and Saturday. Clara Humphrey.

F. E. Pollasky and wife spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and day at Carson City at the home of Mrs. Mrs. E. Bollinger, near Vestaburg. Pollasky's parents.

C. W. Chadwick of Ann Arbor was attended the Shriners' convention in in Alma the fore part of this week Saginaw, the last part of last week. transacting business.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beattie ly Miss Lola Sipe of this city, is visspent the week end with friends and iting friends and relatives in Alma relatives in Riverdale.

Mrs. Simon Messinger and daughter E. L. Smith left Tuesday morning Sadie went to Ann Arbor Wednesday for Buffalo, N. Y., where he will morning to visit friends.

T. A. Burt of Urbana, Ill., was in Motor Truck Co. the city on business from Saturday until Monday of this week. Miss Hazel Lewis wast a Sunday at home cards put out by the Record

guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. are the very latest. Herbert Lewis, of Elm Hall C. L. Wood left Wednesday morn- ly of the efficient service rendered by ing for Huntington, Indiana, where our citizen Henry McNamara as

he will begin his conference work. judge of the horse show held at that Mrs. Enos Momenee of Momenee, place last week. Ohio, is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Page.

Miss Ella Backus of Grand Rapids attend their nightly Sunday meetings has been spending the past week with which have been such a help to a Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Smith and family. great number of people. S. W. Case and wife went to Lapeer, Wednesday morning to visit friends meet Tuesday afternoon, May 25, with and relative in that city for a few Mrs. R. H. Wilcox, 537 State St.

Mrs. William Rogers presented her dress the meeting on the subject of daughter in Ionia and son Harry of "Temperance and Missions". this city with new Studebaker tour-

> J. H. Lancashire and son Ammi of in the college kindergarten room. An Manchester-On-The-Sea, Massachu- election of officers will be held and a setts, spent a few days last week healthful program will be given. All in Alma.

> college spent Saturday and Sunday pany informs us that several farmers along the line between Alma and Itheridge.

Captain Lamont of the Salvation present it has been installed for Army transacted business for that or- Henry Clark, Clarence Clark, Charles ganization in Mt. Pleasant Monday Smith and Alvin Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Failing of brother of R. B. Wagner has been/in Marquette are visiting at the home the city for the past few days studyof Mrs. Emsley and daughter Eliza ing the high pressure system as used

1. M. Yerian and George Bansill to be the bookkeeper for the newly went to Detroit Tuesday morning to organized gas company of Johnson look over some real estate proposi- City, Tennessee. tions in that city.

Eural Race and wife will leave on fatal accident, Wednesday afternoon 19th of June for California. They will at the Michigan Sugar Co., when go by car and make their permanent bag of pulp weighing one hundred home in California.

Mrs. A. W. Wright left Wednesday the ground. Quick medical aid, alone norning for Exeter, Ontario, Canada, saved his life. where she will visit friends and relatives for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Milis of near Breckendge, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.

The Gratiot County Gas Co. ex- weeks. One week from Sunday he pects to complete the laying of mains to Ithaca this week and will commence the work for Breckenridge which will take about three weeks for comple-

represent this district as the lay mem-Charles Murphy and wife went to Cleveland Tuesday morning where Mrs. Murphy is to undergo an operation. Dr. Kryl, the well known surgeon, is to perform the operation at went to Detroit Tuesday to attend the state convention and take part in the Lakeside Hospital.

Rev. Frank J. Jackson and Law- competitive drills which are to be held rence Montigel left Tuesday after- in connection with the convention. noon to attend the Diocesan Conven- The boys hope to land the first prize tion of the Episcopal church in De- which amounts to one hundred dollars troit. Following the convention the and seem to have a splendid chance of latter will go east to visit New York doing it. They won seventy five doland other eastern cities.

D. H. Dickerson of Stanton, state aca convention. The following Alma manager of Libby, McNeill and Libby men made up the delegation: Herb. has rented the Bahlke house on East Becker, Emerson Atkinson, Abe Mill-Superior St. and has moved his family man, Robert Ross, Jess Fink, Jess to Alma. He reports prospects for a Wheeler, Ivan Fisher, Earl Newcombgood year. Some new buildings are er, Mel Medler, Dan Smith, Churles being erected and internal improve- Perrigo, Henry Moran, George Soper, ments are being made.

The Ann Arbor train north which leaves Alma at noon carried the largest number of milk cans Monday which have ever left this city at one time. The shipment consisted of one hundred eighty five cans which are to be distributed around the small communities and farms north of this city, The business of Swift & Co. is cer-

tainly growing by leaps and bounds. The auction sale held by C. R. Messinger which was advertised in the Record two weeks ago was a brilliant success. Between one and two hundred people were present and every article up for sale went only after sharp bidding. If you want your auction sale to be a REAL success advertise in the Record.

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